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ACTION PM-07

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 MC-02 OMB-01 IGA-02 AID-20

ACDA-19 SS-20 NSC-10 PRS-01 CIAE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00

RSC-01 DRC-01 EB-11 /116 W

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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

TO SECDEF WASHDC PRIORITY

INFO CSAF WASHDC PRIORITY

SECSTATE WASHDC 7920

USCINCEUR, VAIHINGEN GERMANY

S E C R E T KUWAIT 3787

FOR HOENIG FROM LTC HENRY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS KU

SUBJ: FMS KUWAIT - F5 PRICE AND AVAILABILITY DATE.

REF: A: SECDEF 282022Z SEP 73

B: AMEMB KUWAIT 3517 (261248Z SEP 73)

C: AMEMB KUWAIT 3683 (071500Z OCT 73)

D: SECDEF 112049Z OCT 73

1. DESPITE US/ME TENSIONS, KUWAIT AIR FORCE REMAINS
ANXIOUS TO GET ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS IN REFS B AND C.

2. REF A STATED THAT P AND A DATA WOULD BE DISPATCHED
11 OCT 73. THIS INFORMATION HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED.

3. REF C WAS RESPONDED TO BY REF D AND ASKED FOR GOK
DEFINITION OF EW THREAT AND RESPONSE. AS NEAR AS CAN BE
DETERMINED GOK HAS NOT EXAMINED EW THREAT TO AIRCRAFT/
ANCILLARY EQUIPMENT. RECOMMEND THAT AN ANALYSIS IN GENERAL
TERMS BE MADE AT YOUR LOCATION IN ORDER TO ANSWER THE
QUESTIONS IN REF C.

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4. THIS DATE GOK AF OPNS OFFICER STATED ANSWERS TO THE F5
QUESTIONS ARE REQUIRED BEFORE HE CAN SUBMIT HIS REPORT
TO GOK AF CMDR. HIS ATTITUDE APPEARS TO BE THAT THE
GOK DECISION ON AIRCRAFT WILL BE MADE IN FAVOR OF THE
US DESPITE RECENT EVENTS. THEREFORE STRONGLY RECOMMEND
THAT REQUEST IN PARA 4 REF C BE HANDLED ASAP.
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Message Attributes

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